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**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
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**MAIL STOP RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or  
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/914,650
Confirmation Number	9665
Filing Date	August 31, 2001
First Named Inventor	ERIC YIJING, ZHANG
Group Art Unit	1731
Examiner Name	Anna L. Kinney
Matter Number	Q66048

Title	METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING BLEACHED MECHANICAL AND CHEMITHRMOMECHANICAL PULP
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- v. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. MISCELLANEOUS**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a  
period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. FEES**

The USPTO is authorized to charge statutory fee of \$790.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is  
directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account  
No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter  
is attached.

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Signature *Joseph J. Ruch* Date February 28, 2007